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Dear [redacted]

Final Appraisal Determination: axitinib for the treatment of advanced renal cell carcinoma after failure of prior systemic treatment

Thank you for your reply to my initial scrutiny letter.

I note your withdrawal of your points concerning the difference of views and the failure to invite Professor Hawkins to the second appraisal meeting, and I am happy for you to continue to argue your point concerning the uncertainty around the OS and ICERS, but under ground 1 or ground 2 as you prefer. I suggest you may wish to see how the appeal hearing develops and present your arguments under either or both grounds as you think best at the time.

Yours sincerely

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Appeals Committee Chair